

TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMISSIONERS

OF

CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS

FOR

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REPORT.

TO THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR GRACIOUS MAJESTY,

1. We, the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, appointed under an Act passed in the 7th and 8th years of your Majesty's reign, entitled "An Act for the more effectual Application of Charitable Donations and Bequests in Ireland," humbly beg leave to submit to your Majesty this our Twenty-third Annual Report.

For some years past, in presenting our annual Reports to your Majesty, we have not thought it necessary to do more than state the number of our meetings, and explain the financial position of our accounts, and of the charities under our guardianship; but as, since our last Report to your Majesty, made on the 28th day of February, 1867, changes both extensive and important in the law which we administer have been made by an Act passed in the 30th and 31st years of your Majesty's reign, chapter 54, we deem it our duty on the present occasion to enter more fully into details, both in reference to the powers conferred on us by that Act, and our proceedings under it.

2. In the year 1866 a Bill was introduced into Parliament, the object of which was to extend to the charities of this country some of the safeguards already provided for charities in England and Wales by the "Charitable Trusts Act, 1853," and the subsequent Acts amending it.

3. A copy of that Bill having been transmitted to us by the Irish Government for our opinion, and its provisions, as well as the defects in the existing law, having been carefully considered by us at several of our meetings, we forwarded to the Right Honorable the Chief Secretary for Ireland a number of suggestions, prepared by our Secretaries, as the results of their daily experience, and we recommended the adoption of them as the basis for amendments in the law suitable to the circumstances of this country.

4. Short as the period is since this Act came into operation, the important and useful powers which it has conferred on us have already in many instances been resorted to; and we doubt not that when its provisions shall become more generally known and better understood by those interested in availing themselves of them, they will be very extensively used.

5. Under the second section we are enabled to give authoritative advice and directions to persons interested in the management of charities; and such advice has the effect of indemnifying from personal responsibility and loss all those who act in conformity with it. A further advantage is that it can be obtained without the necessity of resorting to professional aid, and with little or no expense to the funds of a charity. Already, in three cases, we have been enabled to give our advice with the most satisfactory results. Other applications for our advice are at present before us, and awaiting our decision, in all of which we hope to be able to confer similar advantages on charities in the same inexpensive manner.

6. Power is conferred on us by the third section to compromise, or authorize compromises of claims and demands on behalf of or against charities. We have been called upon to exercise this power in a few cases, and have been able to give effect to advantageous proposals which could not otherwise have been carried out.

7. The power is conferred on us by the seventh section of carrying out the intentions of a testator in a modified form, where, from altered circumstances, it may have become impracticable literally to fulfil his intentions. This power has been exercised by us in three charities with the best results. Our jurisdiction, however, is extremely limited in amount, but it has, nevertheless, enabled us to bring into active operation the charities to which we have referred, and will enable us successfully to deal with many others, the schemes for which are already in progress and awaiting our decision. From the want of this most necessary power a large number of charities, each small in amount, were lying for many years unadministered and unapplied, and, had applications been made in these cases to the Court of Chancery for a scheme, the expense of the proceeding would in most cases have absorbed the entire fund, and in all would have sensibly diminished it. In every case in which we have been called on to exercise this power, we have taken care to adhere as closely as possible to the original objects; and being well aware that this power, even in its most limited form, is one likely to excite feelings of apprehension, and, perhaps, of jealousy, we have made orders which will amply secure publicity to this portion of our proceedings. Hence, we have not confirmed, nor shall we hereafter confirm, any scheme for varying the administration of a charity until one month's notification has been made by public notice or advertisement, or both, in the locality in which the charity is to be administered, apprising all parties interested of the nature of the proposed scheme, and inviting objections to it.

8. The provision contained in the 8th section, by which, in cases where charitable funds are small in amount but are beyond the limit of our jurisdiction under the 7th section, a scheme of administration under the sanction of the Court of Chancery can be obtained by a summary and comparatively inexpensive proceeding, will be found highly beneficial; and though but a single case has as yet arisen in which we have been called upon to put it into operation, we anticipate that when it is better known we shall frequently be asked to do so.

9. We regard the 9th section as one of the utmost importance to the protection of the charities of this country, inasmuch as it provides a means for preserving their funds by enabling donors to vest them in us by deed, testators to bequeath them directly to us, and trustees to transfer them to our guardianship. Already sums of various amounts and from various sources, amounting in the aggregate to about £3,757 6s. 9d., have been placed under our guardianship. The names of the charities and the amounts transferred in each case will be found in Schedule No. 8, in the Appendix to this Report. We have made orders in other cases accepting the funds, but in which they have not as yet been transferred. Other offers have been made to us of charity property, consisting of rents and rentcharges; but as these did not appear to fall within the section, we were obliged to decline them. From the disposition already evinced to place funds under our guardianship, we expect that the provisions of this section will be largely acted on.

10. The 11th section, enables trustees to place under our custody the deeds or muniments of charity property. We have caused to be erected a fire-proof repository for the reception of such muniments, and there is little doubt that in process of time a large number of them will be deposited in our charge.

11. We have already in several instances been applied to to exercise the powers conferred on us by sections 13, 14, 15, 17, and 18, which greatly facilitate the management of and dealings with charity property, by enabling us to give our sanction to leases, sales, surrenders, and exchanges of charity property under circumstances in which such transactions would otherwise have been invalid. In order to secure the safety of any fund which may be realized by transactions of this nature, we have, in all cases in which we have been called upon to exercise our jurisdiction, made it a part of our order that the money should be invested in Government securities and transferred to us. In one case a sum of £127 has been thus placed under our control, and another has been brought before us in which we have intimated our sanction to the sale of two small charity annuities to the owner of the lands on which they are charged. By having authorized these arrangements, under the peculiar circumstances in which such very small endowments were placed, we have secured for the charities property which would otherwise have been wholly wasted in costly litigation.

12. The provision in the 19th section, requiring executors and administrators to publish charitable bequests in newspapers circulating in the localities in which they are intended

to be administered, is one of great importance. Previously to the passing of the recent Act, executors were required to advertise in the *Dublin Gazette* only, an obligation frequently disregarded, and even when fulfilled, affording but little protection to charities. We consider that one great security, for the due and faithful performance of charitable trusts, is to be found in the nature and objects of those trusts being brought under the notice of the persons or institutions intended to be benefited, and of the localities in which they are directed to be administered. We have, therefore, taken pains to make known the provisions of this section to all executors and administrators, charged with the execution of wills containing charitable bequests, and we have expressed our determination to proceed for the recovery of penalties in all cases in which it shall appear to us that those provisions have been wilfully violated. To accomplish this result we have made an arrangement by which we obtain from the Principal Registry of the Court of Probate, as well as from each of the District Registries, a monthly return of the wills containing charitable bequests. We then cause to be transmitted to each executor or administrator a notice, signed by our Secretaries, calling attention to the obligation to publish the bequests, and to the penalties annexed to neglect.

13. The effect of this notice has been most beneficial: first, by apprising executors that the public department charged with the special duty of protecting charities has acquired official knowledge of the existence of the bequests, and will be ready to take cognizance of them should occasion for its interference ever arise; and next, by taking away from executors desirous to conceal charitable bequests all pretence of excusing themselves from publishing on the ground of ignorance of the provision of the statute compelling them to do so. We are happy in being enabled to state, that in no single instance since the passing of the recent Statute have we been compelled to proceed against executors for wilful violation of this most useful provision. For the most part it has been cheerfully complied with, or, in cases in which it has not, explanations have been made by the executors or their solicitors, which have satisfied us that there was no desire to evade the law. In nearly all cases copies of the local newspapers, containing the advertisements of the bequests, have been forwarded to us, and we have caused them to be registered in a book kept in our office for the purpose.

14. Until the passing of the Act of last session no other remedy for recovering charity funds was open to us save a proceeding in the Court of Chancery, which was always attended with expense. The result was that many small bequests were withheld from their objects by persons who calculated on impunity by reason of the very smallness of the amount, and the costliness of the only remedy that could be resorted to against them. To remedy this defect we suggested to your Majesty's Government that we should be empowered to sue for certain amounts in the Civil Bill Court; and in accordance with that suggestion the 6th section of the Act was framed, with the object of conferring that power upon us. We regret, however, that, from the manner in which that section has been framed, it is doubtful whether we shall be able to avail ourselves of it save in the limited class of cases in which the amount of a bequest is due directly to ourselves, or to some other Trustees, and in which there is a direct personal liability on the part of the person making default. The difficulties to which we advert have arisen in three cases which have been brought before us; and we fear that, with limitations such as these, coupled with the obligation which we are advised we are under of obtaining the sanction of your Majesty's Attorney-General before we can commence any proceeding, the provisions of the sixth section, intended to be so useful, will become practically inoperative. We would, therefore, humbly suggest that that section should be amended by empowering us, in our names as Plaintiffs, to proceed by Civil Bill, within certain limits, for the recovery of all charitable donations and bequests of small amount, concealed, withheld, or misapplied, and that we should be at liberty to do so without requiring the allowance of the Attorney-General, which would make the proceeding too costly, and also that for all purposes connected with proceedings instituted by us the Civil Bill Court should be invested with an equitable jurisdiction.

15. The object of the twelfth section of the Act is to protect funds eventually bequeathed for charitable purposes, but left to trustees or other persons for a life, or other limited interest. Our experience proved to us how much such a protection was needed for funds left in this manner, and previously to the passing of the late Act many cases were brought before us in which our intervention was pressingly solicited, but in which we were unable to interfere, on the ground that the fund was not "concealed," withheld, or "misapplied." In one case a sum of £1,000 stock was proved to have been sold out and

converted to the use of the person to whom the testator left it for a limited period, and, as the party had no property out of which it could be recovered, the fund was irretrievably lost. In another case we proceeded against the executor of a person who, having had a life interest in a sum of £4,000, bequeathed after her decease for charitable purposes, divided a large amount of it among her relations during her life. We failed to earmark the greater portion of the fund, and it was consequently lost. Many similar cases have occurred. The twelfth section now affords some sort of protection by requiring notice to be given to us before the security in which the fund is placed shall be varied or transposed, but we are of opinion that the provision of the section is insufficient as a protection.

16. Since the date of our last report to your Majesty we have held 31 meetings for the despatch of business, of which 10 were held before the passing of the late Act, and 21 since. At each of these we have caused minutes of our proceedings to be recorded, as required by the Act of the 7th and 8th years of your Majesty's reign. In the 1st schedule hereto annexed will be found the names of the Commissioners present at each of those meetings, and the dates respectively at which they were held. We made orders in 209 cases, of which 55 were made before the passing of the late Act, and 154 since. All of these have been carried out by our Secretaries with regularity and accuracy.

17. It is with regret we have to state that out of 48 meetings, summoned since the date of our last report, 17 have failed to be effective from the want of the presence of five of our body, that being the number required by the 4th section of the Act of the 7th and 8th years of your Majesty's reign to be in attendance before any business can be transacted. This has arisen in a great degree from causes over which we have no control.

18. To prevent, as far as possible, public inconvenience arising from these failures, we have made arrangements by which our Secretaries transact a large portion of the ordinary and routine business of our department. They are always in attendance, and the business to be transacted is of such a nature that by affording personal interviews to parties interested, and by conducting correspondence, very many cases are brought to a satisfactory conclusion, and the interests of the various charities amply protected, without the necessity of having them brought before us for formal orders during their progress. They are, however, ultimately reported to us and recorded on our minutes, and we have taken care that all questions of difficulty, or involving important principles, shall be submitted for our consideration and decision.

19. We annex to this our Report, in Schedule No. 2, a copy of the Abstract of our Accounts in the several Charities under our administration, from 1st January, 1867, to 31st December last; the details of which with their vouchers having been lodged as usual with Master Fitzgibbon for examination and audit, have been examined and passed, and a declared copy lodged in the Privy Council Office, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Parliament.

20. That portion of our accounts, called our "Private Account," as distinguished from our "Charity Account," consisting of grants from the Treasury for the ordinary expenses of the Board, and the interest on a sum of £1,397 13s., now 3 per cent. stock, called the "Embezzled Charity Recovery Fund," referred to more particularly in former Reports, is subject to the inspection of the Exchequer and Audit Department. We have since our last Report rendered Monthly Accounts, as required by that Department, and we annex in Schedule No. 3, Copy of Certificate, showing that the balance returned up to 31st March last was correct. The above-mentioned sum of £1,397 13s., now 3 per cent. stock, and a balance due upon our Monthly Account to 1st April of £70 16s. 8d., were the only sums under our control at that time not appropriated or belonging to any particular Charity Trust.

21. Since the 1st of April last our "Private Account" has been placed on an altered footing. Under the Act of the 7th and 8th years of your Majesty's reign, chapter 97, all costs and expenses of this department were defrayed out of the Consolidated Fund, but by the Act of the last Session, they have been made payable out of moneys to be voted by Parliament. Provision has, accordingly, been made for this purpose in the Estimates for 1868-9; and new forms for keeping and auditing these accounts have been adopted, under the directions of the Treasury, and in accordance with the provisions of the "Exchequer and Audit Departments Act, 1866."

22. The total amount of the trust funds which were under our care and control in cash, and vested in Government and other securities on the 31st December last is set forth in the 4th, 5th and 6th Schedules, the particulars of which, together with the objects of each trust fund, will be found in Schedule No. 7.

23. The annual amount of rents and annuities under our guardianship at the same period specifying the particular amount of each, with the name of the testator or donor by whom created, the source from whence each is derived, and the object of each trust, is given in Schedule No. 8; and in Schedule No. 9 will be found a Return of Charity Funds standing to the credit of causes or matters in the Court of Chancery, in which the title of the Charity has been established by decree or order.

All which we submit as our Report to your Most Excellent Majesty, and in testimony thereof have caused our Corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this 2nd day of July, 1868.

Present when seal affixed,

THE RIGHT HON. THE MASTER OF THE
ROLLS, *Chairman.*

THE REV. W. B. KIRKPATRICK, D.D.

THE VERY REV. THE DEAN OF ST. PATRICK'S.

SIR JAMES POWER, BART., M.P.

RIGHT HON. MOUNTIFORT LONGFIELD.

Commissioners.

SEAL.

HERCULES MACDONNELL, }
WM. GERNON, } *Secretaries.*

APPENDIX TO THE TWENTY-THIRD REPORT

OF THE

COMMISSIONERS OF CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS FOR IRELAND.

SCHEDULES.

NAMES OF COMMISSIONERS AND ORDER AND DATE OF APPOINTMENT.

Right Honorable the MASTER of the Rolls,	as-officio,	October, 1866.
Right Honorable the LORD CHIEF BARON,		1 January, 1867.
Sir JOHN EVANS, Bart., D.L.		9 July, 1867.
Right Honorable JOHN HATCHELL,		10 June, 1864.
The Honorable Baron HUGHES,		14 August, 1864.
Right Honorable Mr. Justice FITZGERALD,		14 February, 1861.
The Reverend W. B. KIRKPATRICK, D.D.,		21 March, 1862.
The Very Reverend J. WYER, Dean of St. Patrick's,		16 January, 1863.
JONATHAN PIN, Esq., M.P.,		17 January, 1863.
His Grace the LORD ARCHBISHOP of DUBLIN,		12 January, 1865.
Sir JAMES POWER, Bart., M.P.,		13 January, 1865.
Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'HAGAN,		1 June, 1866.
Right Honorable MONTAGUE LORRELL, LL.D.,		23 May, 1867.

Appendix.

SCHEDULE No. 1.

Return of the Meetings of the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, since the 21st February, 1867.

RETURN of the Meetings of the Commissioners since the 21st February, 1867, the date thereof, and the Commissioners present at each Meeting up to the present time.

23d February, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

21st March, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
Sir John Evans, Bart.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

11th April, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
Sir John Evans, Bart.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

18th April, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pin, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

26th May, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pin, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

16th May, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
Sir John Evans, Bart.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

APPENDIX.

SERIES No. 1.

Return of the
Meetings of the
Commissioners of
Charitable Donations
and Bequests for
Ireland, since the
21st February, 1867.

23rd May, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
Sir John Esais, Bart.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

30th May, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

6th June, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
Sir John Esais, Bart.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

13th June, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

20th June, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

27th June, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

4th July, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

11th July, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
Sir John Esais, Bart.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

18th July, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

24th October, 1867.

The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

31st October, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

Return of the
Meetings of the
Commissioners of
Charitable Donations
and Bequests for
Ireland, since the
23rd February, 1867.

7th November, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

14th November, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

21st November, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

28th November, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

5th December, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
Sir John Ennis, Bart.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

12th December, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

* And so other Commissioners having attended, as stated business could be transacted on this day.

19th December, 1867.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

26th January, 1868

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls
Sir John Ennis, Bart.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longfield, LL.D.

16th January, 1868

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.

23rd January, 1868

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.

* And so other Commissioners having attended, as stated business could be transacted on this day.

APPENDIX.

SCHEDULE No. 1.

Return of the
Meetings of the
Commissioners of
Charities/Diocesane
and Beggers for
Ireland, since the
14th February, 1867.

30th January, 1868.

The Right Honorable John Hatchell in the Chair, which was subsequently taken by the Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

6th February, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

13th February, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Reverend William B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
The Right Honorable Mountfort Longford, LL.D.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

20th February, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

27th February, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
Sir John Esquis, Bart.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Reverend William B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

5th March, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Reverend William B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.

12th March, 1868.

* * Summons for a Board Meeting were issued for this day, but the Secretaries having ascertained that, on account of the number of Commissioners absent from Dublin, it would be impossible to form a quorum, were obliged to countermand the summons.

19th March, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.
Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

26th March, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

2nd April, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin.
The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

9th April, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
 Sir John Esdaile, Bart.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 Jonathan Pim, Esq., M.P.
 Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

23rd April, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

30th April, 1868.

The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

7th May, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
 The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
 The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

14th May, 1868.

The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

21st May, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
 The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

28th May, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

4th June, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

11th June, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
 The Right Honorable the Chief Baron.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice O'Hagan.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

18th June, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.

* * And no other Commissioners having attended, no Board business could be transacted on this day.

25th June, 1868.

The Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls in the Chair.
 The Right Honorable John Hatchell.
 The Right Honorable Mr. Justice Fitzgerald.
 The Reverend W. B. Kirkpatrick, D.D.
 The Very Reverend the Dean of St. Patrick's.
 Sir James Power, Bart., M.P.

APPENDIX

SCHEDULE No. 1.

Return of the
 Meetings of the
 Commissioners of
 Charitable Donations
 and Bequests for
 Ireland, since the
 21st February, 1867.

APPENDIX.

SCHEDULE No. 2.

ABSTRACT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND

1st January to 31st

Abstract of the
Accounts of the
Commissioners of
Charitable Donations
and Bequests for
Ireland, in the several
Charities under
their Administration
for the year ended
31st December, 1867.

THE CHARGE.

GOVERNMENT STOCK

	£	s.	d.
To amount of Government Stock and Debentures to credit of the Commissioners on 1st day of January, 1867, as per last Account rendered, ...	207,735	15	8
To amount of Government Stock received from 1st day of January to 31st December, 1867, per Schedules A, B, ...	2,018	6	8
	£210,254	2	4

CASH

	£	s.	d.
January 1, 1867. To amount due to Charities, per last account audited and declared, ...	1,178	10	4
31st December. To amount received from Rents and Annuities, Schedule C, ...	949	14	7
" To do. do. from Interest on Stock and Debentures, Schedule E, ...	6,837	17	7
" To do. do. from Sale of Stock, Schedule A & B, ...	06	3	6
" To do. do. from other sources, Schedule D, ...	1,309	1	1
" To do. do. advanced to Charities, Schedule G, ...	88	3	2
	£9,989	10	3

STATE OF BALANCE.

	£	s.	d.
Advances, as above, ...	88	3	2
In Bank, per certificate, ...	£808	5	5
Less outstanding Drafts of 1869, £1 11s. 3d.; of 1867, No. 1553, £1 10s. 10d.; 1864, £1 17s. 5d.; 1878, £1 11s. 3d.; 1883, £1 10s. 10d.; 1889, 13s. 10d.; 1888, 18s. 6d., ...	9	13	11
	798	11	6
Sums disallowed in former accounts, being embezzlements of E. W. Mathews, ...	387	9	8
Due by Private account, ...	0	14	0
	£1,574	15	4

Present when Seal affixed, this 20th day of February, 1868.

THE RIGHT HON. THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS, *Chairman*,
THE RIGHT HON. JOHN HATCHELL,
REV. W. B. KIRKPATRICK, D.D.,
THE VERY REV. THE DEAN OF ST. PATRICK'S,
HIS GRACE THE ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN.

} Commissioners.

SEAL.

HERCULES MACDONNELL, }
WILLIAM GIBSON, } Secretaries.

Requests for Ireland, in the several Charities under their administration, from
December, 1867.

Appendix.
Schedule No. 2.

Abstract of the
Accounts of the
Commissioners of
Charitable Donations
and Requests for
Ireland, in the several
Charities under
their Administration
for the year ended
31st December, 1867.

THE DISCHARGE

AND DEBENTURE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
By New 3 per Cent. sold or transferred, per Schedule, ...	71	2	10
By balance standing to the credit of the Commissioners in the Bank of Ireland on the 31st December, 1867, ...	210,182	19	6
	£	s.	d.
In Government Stock, ...	200,366	1	0
In Debentures and Mortgage, ...	816	18	6
	£210,182	19	6
	£210,254	2	4

ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.
31st December, 1867. By amount paid under orders of Commissioners, the vouchers for which are numbered consecutively from No. 1 to No. 600, ...	7,303	1	8
" By amount invested in (new) 3 per cent. Stock, } Schedules	1,423	3	8
" By do. do. 3 per cent. do., } A and B, {	24	15	2
" By do. advanced to Charities in last year's account, .	63	11	5
" By balance due to Charities, Schedule F, ...	1,374	18	4
	£9,089	10	3

I, ROBERT MOLLOY, do solemnly and sincerely declare, that this, the Account of the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Requests for Ireland, from 1st January to 31st December, 1867, rendered by me as their Accountant, is just and true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief, and I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing the same to be true.

ROBERT MOLLOY,
Accountant to said Commissioners.

Declared before me, at Dublin Castle,
this 17th day of February, 1868,
JOHN L. O'FERRALL.

Schedule—continued.

APPENDIX.

Donor or Trustee.	Charity.	Government Grants.			Half-yearly Interest.			Schedule No. 1. Schedule showing for what Trusts the Government Grants under the Guardianship of the Commissioners are held.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Davis, Rev. Samuel,	Mendicity Association,	55	16	4	0	16	9	
Diemel, Benjamin,	School at Rathfrilly,	3,127	16	9	47	1	4	
Ditto,	Poor of ditto, in purchase of provisions, Christmas Eve,	503	16	4	7	11	1	
Edwards, Hugh,	Castlederg School,	291	3	1	4	7	4	
Evelins, William,	Caran Fever Hospital,	154	1	10	2	6	3	
Faltrether, William,	Poor of Wicklow,	124	11	9	1	17	5	
Fanning, Jas., and others,	Waterford Fanning Institution,	34,000	0	0	525	15	0	
Fanning, James,	Kilkenny, Poor of Five Townlands in,	3,750	3	10	56	17	1	
Fox, Mrs.	Poor of St. John's Parish, Dublin,	54	17	4	0	16	6	
Frost, Edward,	" Danganstown,	116	6	10	1	14	11	
Gault, Michael,	" Gurnea,	310	14	11	4	13	2	
Groves, Dr. H. M.	" Templemore,	54	13	11	0	16	5	
Hall, Dr. J.	Alms-house and School, Limerick,	569	4	8	6	10	0	
Hall, Rowley,	Poor of Lishum,	113	14	1	1	14	3	
Ditto,	Lancasterian School in Lisburn,	61	10	10	0	16	5	
Hamilton, General,	The Minister of Holy Cross,	331	6	7	4	19	5	
Hoskisson, Thomas,	Poor of Tuam,	291	15	11	3	0	6	
Hodges, Thomas,	Alms-house, Kildare,	35	4	0	0	10	5	
Hore, Rev. Thomas,	Poor of Roscarberry,	274	6	7	4	2	3	
Ditto,	Bonmercina School,	4	2	11	0	1	3	
Jackson, Margaret,	Hibernian Bible Society,	37	6	6	0	17	2	
Ditto,	Poor of Monaghan,	607	2	8	9	2	1	
Jacobs, Rev. B. S.	Protestant Poor of Kilmacole,	69	12	6	1	0	11	
Johnston, Mary,	Poor of Drumree,	100	2	6	1	10	0	
Julianstown Fund,	" Julianstown,	126	16	11	1	18	1	
Keatings, R. S.	" Drumcullagh,	153	10	11	2	6	2	
Kennedy, John,	" Hollywood,	216	14	11	3	5	0	
Lawder, James,	" Kilmee,	133	5	0	2	0	0	
Leahard, Rev. G.	Six Poor People of Kilmacole,	226	5	10	3	6	5	
Love, Robert,	Poor of Clonsilla and Cashel,	24	0	9	0	7	2	
Masey, Miss F.	" St. Mullins, Kinsale,	200	2	2	5	0	0	
Masters, J. J.	Manorhamilton School,	900	0	0	13	10	0	
Mills, John,	Dinner on Christmas Day to inmates of Wicklow Gaol,	117	8	1	1	15	3	
McKenny, Elizabeth,	Poor of Slough,	56	14	10	0	17	0	
Ditto,	" Lishum,	250	8	8	3	0	1	
Molyneux, Sir Capel,	After death of Schoolmaster and Wife, to Poor of Loughgall,	668	15	4	10	0	0	
McClurey, Robert,	Incorporated Charitable Society, Belfast,	109	18	9	1	13	11	
Ditto,	Fever Hospital,	109	16	9	1	12	11	
Ditto,	Surgical " "	123	3	7	1	17	0	
McClurey, Mrs. C.	Incorporated Charitable Society, Belfast,	51	14	10	0	15	6	
Ditto,	Fever Hospital,	51	14	10	0	15	6	
Ditto,	Surgical " "	63	1	4	1	4	7	
Ditto,	Ulster Dead and Dumb Institution,	51	14	9	0	15	6	
Newman, Mrs. R.	Poor of Kilmacole,	186	7	6	2	15	10	
Northumberland Fund,	Mendicity Association,	5,160	16	10	77	14	4	
Paver, Rev. John,	Poor of Cashel,	656	0	10	9	16	10	
Paver, Mary,	Old Ladies' Asylum, Waterford,	2,487	1	11	37	6	2	
Ditto,	Convent Children, do.	1,636	1	4	24	17	6	
Ditto,	Poor Boys, do.	829	0	7	12	8	9	
Quinn, Alice,	School and Poor of Waterford and Tramore,	1,141	17	4	17	2	7	
Saunders, George,	Poor of Rosinella,	207	14	1	3	2	3	
Sinclair, Thomas,	" Hollywood,	49	10	6	0	14	11	
Ditto,	Belfast Fever Hospital,	49	10	6	0	14	11	
Ditto,	Peacocks,	49	10	7	0	14	11	
Shanks, John,	Poor of Lishum,	1,369	11	0	20	16	11	
Smith, Bishop,	Plans charitable uses as the Bishop of Limerick, for time being, should direct,	903	7	0	15	11	0	
Smith, Rev. Dr. Thomas,	Parishes of Annahilt and Magherlin,	50	0	0	0	15	0	
Southwell, Rev. Dr.	Poor Protestants of Castlemary,	63	13	7	0	19	1	
Southwell, Sir B.	Alms-house, Kinsale,	99	13	3	1	9	11	
Stewart, Dr. William,	Poor of Lishum,	56	11	7	0	16	11	
Stopford, Bishop,	" Kilmee,	199	12	9	2	19	11	
Stinson, John,	" St. Anne's, Shandon,	1,119	13	2	16	15	11	
Swany, John,	Poor Protestants of Clontarf,	214	0	5	3	4	2	
Tait, William,	Bread for Wexford Poor,	1,567	13	6	23	10	3	
Thompson, Thomas,	Monksmore Abbey School,	274	4	11	4	2	6	
Thomas, General Lewis,	Poor of Nana,	635	15	8	9	11	1	
Trail, Archdeacon,	" Lishum,	58	18	4	0	17	6	
Ditto,	" Billy,	91	2	8	1	7	4	

APPENDIX.

Schedule—continued.

SCHEDULE No. 7.

Schedule showing
for what Trusts the
Government Stocks
under the Guardianship
of the Commissioners
are held.

Donor or Trustee.	Charity.	Government Stocks.			Half-yearly Interest.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Tadhil, Barbara, .	Regina Catholic Magdalen Asylum, Protestant Blind Asylum, Protestant Orphan Asylum, Lying-in Hospital, Protestant Penitentiary, Poor Debtors in Goals, Blankets and Fuel Fund, Limerick, .	898	1	7	13	9	4
Doitto, .	Protestant Widows, St. John's, Limerick, .	88	1	5	1	6	5
Varner, Thomas, .	Sunday-school at Denaghmore, .	145	3	10	2	2	0
Ward, Hon. Sophia, .	Poor of Ballycutter, .	2,876	11	6	43	2	10
Doitto, .	Mendicity Association, Dublin, .	283	8	3	4	5	0
Ward, Right Hon. Robt.	School at Dangan, County Down, .	2,023	9	6	30	7	0
Warren, William, .	Poor of Rathensel, .	329	4	0	4	18	3
Williams, Henry, .	Hospital for Incurables, Dublin, .	322	11	0	4	16	9
Doitto, .	Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers, Dublin, .	215	0	3	3	4	4
Doitto, .	Melrose Blind Asylum, .	101	6	2	3	8	3
Doitto, .	Old Man's Asylum, .	161	5	2	2	8	5
Doitto, .	Deaf and Dumb, Claremont, .	215	0	3	3	4	6
Doitto, .	Protestant Orphan Society, .	215	0	3	3	4	6
Doitto, .	Methodist Widow, .	107	9	10	1	12	3
Wyse, James, .	Waterford Poor Men's Asylum, .	1,161	9	0	17	8	5
Doitto, .	Goals for Poor of Waterford, .	501	10	5	7	10	6
Wright, Joseph, .	Poor of Monasteraris, .	70	13	9	1	1	3
Waterhouse, William, .	Fever Hospital, Waterford, .	7	19	8	0	2	4
Total, .		£80,146	11	9	1,277	18	11
Donor or Trustee.	Charity.	Government Stock 3 per Cent. 80-00.			Half-yearly Interest.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Adair, Rev. Dr. .	Formey School, .	1,237	9	0	18	11	2
Allen, Joseph, .	Poor of Gorey, .	200	0	0	3	0	0
Aldworth, St. Leger, .	Poor Annuitants of New Market, .	327	8	2	4	18	2
Anderson's, St. Parish, .	St. Andrew's Almshouse, .	184	16	3	2	15	0
Banks, Anna, .	Protestant Orphan Society, Limerick, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Doitto, .	Lying-in Hospital, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Doitto, .	Charity Widows' Fund, .	1,230	8	7	18	0	2
Doitto, .	Barrington's Hospital, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Doitto, .	County Infirmary, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Doitto, .	Fever Hospital, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Doitto, .	Female Blind Asylum, .	500	0	0	7	10	0
Doitto, .	Magdalen Asylum, .	500	0	0	7	10	0
Doitto, .	Female Blind and Magdalen Asylum, .	431	0	2	6	6	4
Barrett, Rev. Dr. .	Sick & Indigent St. Michael's Parish, Dublin, .	104	13	0	1	11	6
Batchelor, John, .	" St. Andrew's " " " " " "	205	17	8	3	1	9
Doitto, .	" St. George's " " " " " "	212	14	7	3	3	10
Doitto, .	" St. John's " " " " " "	212	6	9	3	3	9
Doitto, .	" St. Luke's " " " " " "	212	6	9	3	3	10
Doitto, .	" St. Mary's " " " " " "	212	14	2	3	3	9
Doitto, .	" St. Michael's " " " " " "	200	0	0	3	0	0
Doitto, .	" St. Michael's " " " " " "	200	2	0	3	2	9
Doitto, .	" St. Nicholas in " " " " " "	212	14	7	3	3	10
Doitto, .	" St. Nicholas out " " " " " "	212	3	0	3	3	0
Doitto, .	" St. Paul's " " " " " "	212	13	9	3	3	10
Doitto, .	" St. Thomas's " " " " " "	212	10	6	3	3	9
Doitto, .	" St. Werburgh's " " " " " "	212	14	2	3	3	10
Bell, Bishop, .	Schools at Killa, .	2,000	0	0	30	0	0
Belvidere, Lady, .	The Bethesda School, Dublin, .	330	10	4	4	10	1
Doitto, .	St. George's Parish School, .	280	4	1	4	6	9
Bennett, George, .	Poor of Timpone, .	224	7	0	3	10	4
Beaton, Dr. John, .	Poor of Drumard, .	284	0	8	3	16	2
Bertrand, Peter, .	Alms House, Dublin, .	873	1	2	13	1	10
Blossington, William, .	Schools at Killergin, County Kerry, .	790	5	7	11	17	1
Bryan, Jane and Mary, .	Poor Widows, St. Mary's, Shandon, .	108	8	5	1	12	5
Board's private fund, .	Embedded Charity Recovery Fund, .	1,397	13	0	20	12	2
Brewster, Rev. G. .	Sick Poor of Rahon, .	200	11	10	3	0	2
Brett, John, .	Bread and Mutton on Christmas Eve to Poor Roomkeepers in Downpatrick, .	298	7	10	4	8	11
Brown, Eleanor, .	Cavan Fever Hospital, .	287	18	8	4	6	4
Cliff, Anthony, .	Poor of New Ross, .	407	8	0	6	17	2
Clarence School Fund, .	Mendicity Association School, .	1,000	0	0	15	0	0
Clarendon, George, .	Vicar, for Protestant Poor of Westport, .	204	4	1	4	1	8
Cornell, William, .	Poor of Clontarf, .	68	0	0	1	6	6
Crofton, M. A. .	School, County Cork, .	569	8	3	7	12	10
Cunningham, George, .	Sick Poor Institution, New Ross; or, that selling, the Friends of Education, .	1,382	0	2	20	14	8
Darcy, Nicholas, .	Poor of Longhros, .	1,658	11	10	27	17	7
Deane, Miss, .	Parish of St. Nicholas, Cork, .	5,559	17	8	83	8	0

Schedule—continued.

APPENDIX.

Donor or Testator.	Charity.	Government of New 3 per Cent. Stock.			Halfpenny Interest.			SCHEDULE No. 1. Schedule showing for what Trusts the Government Stocks under the Guardianship of the Guardians are held.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Deane, Moses, . . .	Parish of St. Mary's, Skardon, Cork,	2,001	2	8	30	0	4	
Deane, Thomas, . . .	Cork Almshouse and Schools, . . .	1,015	11	3	15	4	8	
Dehnbach, Nicholas, . . .	Poor of Lisburn, . . .	464	11	3	6	19	5	
Denvir, Rt. Rev. Bishop, . . .	Masses in Glenageary, . . .	817	19	6	12	5	5	
Dixon, Eleanor, . . .	Poor of Castleknock, . . .	104	1	4	1	11	3	
Ditto, . . .	" Danganstown, . . .	95	16	3	1	8	8	
Dixon, Rev. Edward, . . .	" Ballymore, . . .	95	13	7	1	8	8	
Eaton, Catherine, . . .	" Wicklow, . . .	734	9	3	11	0	4	
Farrall, James, . . .	General Surgical Hospital, . . .	389	17	2	8	17	0	
Faviers, Rev. Jon. . .	Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, . . .	4,350	0	0	65	5	0	
Felster, George, . . .	Poor of German Church, Poolbeg-st. Dublin, . . .	373	5	2	6	11	11	
Fletcher, A. J. . .	Poor Housekeepers of Parish of Derryagh, on Christmas Day, to be distributed by the Protestant Clergyman, . . .	537	1	7	8	1	1	
Froke, P. Evans, . . .	Poor of Wexford, . . .	12	4	1	0	3	7	
Goff, Joseph, . . .	School of St. Werburgh's, Dublin, . . .	52	16	2	0	15	10	
Green, Hannah, . . .	Poor of Donnybrook, . . .	115	7	0	1	14	9	
Hamilton, Rev. J. . .	" Killoigh, . . .	714	8	3	10	14	4	
Hall, Dr. Jeremiah, . . .	Limerick Almshouse and School, . . .	370	11	8	4	1	2	
Hamilton, Quinton, . . .	Poor of Glasnevin, . . .	651	11	0	8	5	5	
Heron, Samuel, . . .	" Lisbarn, . . .	188	9	8	2	16	7	
Higgins, Francis, . . .	Debtors in Marshbrook, Dublin, at Christmas, . . .	913	13	1	13	17	2	
Hutchinson, Lady, . . .	Convent Widows, Arding, . . .	1,006	19	5	16	2	8	
Ditto, . . .	" Kildale, . . .	1,136	2	10	16	17	6	
Ditto, . . .	House of Refuge, Dublin, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Richmond Road, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Shelter for Females, . . .	504	11	9	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Mercer's Hospital, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Men's Home, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Magdalen Asylum, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	House of Recovery, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Reception for Servants, ditto, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Malyneux Asylum, ditto, . . .	504	11	9	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Hibernian Bible Society, ditto, . . .	504	11	9	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Sunday School Society, ditto, . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Ditto, . . .	Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society, &c., . . .	504	11	10	7	11	5	
Hughes, Eleanor, . . .	Orphan's Schools, Townsend-street, . . .	890	8	11	13	8	11	
Jackson, Hyles, . . .	Poor of Ballygarry, . . .	1,212	3	4	18	3	7	
Jackson, Margaret, . . .	" Clontarf and Cornbrook, . . .	268	16	4	3	2	8	
Ditto, . . .	Church Missionary Society, . . .	61	4	7	0	15	3	
Kearney, Michael, . . .	Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers, Dublin, . . .	220	1	2	3	15	0	
Ditto, . . .	Widows' House, Cork-street, Dublin, . . .	220	1	2	3	15	0	
Ditto, . . .	Asylum, Balmford-street, Dublin, . . .	500	2	4	7	10	0	
Ditto, . . .	Educators of Roman Catholic Children, St. James's Parish, Dublin, . . .	500	2	4	7	10	0	
Ditto, . . .	" of Clontarf, county Dublin, . . .	500	2	4	7	10	0	
Ditto, . . .	" of Baldoyle, do., . . .	500	2	4	7	10	0	
Ditto, . . .	" of Howth, do., . . .	500	2	4	7	10	0	
Kilkeel Fund, . . .	Kilkeel Clergy Widows, . . .	1,319	1	4	19	15	9	
Kendall, Anne, . . .	Poor of Athy, . . .	1,237	16	10	18	11	2	
Keravan, Dr. . . .	Charitable Society, Kilkenny, . . .	485	6	2	7	6	11	
Ditto, . . .	Benevolent, . . .	485	6	2	7	6	11	
Ditto, . . .	Walkin-st. Poorhouse, . . .	485	6	2	7	6	11	
Ditto, . . .	Female Orphan School, . . .	291	15	8	4	7	6	
Ditto, . . .	Chapel-lane, . . .	194	10	8	2	18	5	
Kellett, Anne, . . .	Schools, Month and Dublin, . . .	206	18	3	3	2	1	
Leske, Surgeon, . . .	Mendicity Association, Dublin, . . .	2,876	18	0	58	3	0	
Lee, Jane, . . .	Poor of Carrokingus, . . .	211	8	4	3	3	6	
Leigh, . . .	" Lisburn, . . .	208	4	0	4	0	5	
Letz, Sophie, . . .	" Mulmakin, Kiltinstown, & Moyglash, . . .	46	5	0	0	13	10	
Lill, Dr. . . .	Armagh Infirmary, . . .	2,237	0	4	38	17	1	
Levett, J. H. . .	Poor of Lismore, . . .	656	17	0	8	7	8	
Low, Robert, . . .	" Clonmel and Cashel, . . .	1,285	2	2	19	5	6	
Ditto, . . .	" Fethard, . . .	187	12	1	9	16	3	
Macklin, Ralph, . . .	School Building Fund of St. Anne's, St. Andrew's, and St. Werburgh's, Dublin, . . .	362	1	2	5	8	7	
Madden, James, . . .	Poor of Kilkenny, . . .	213	5	9	3	4	0	
Magan, Elizabeth, . . .	St. George's Protestant Parochial School, Dublin, . . .	602	19	5	7	10	10	
Mahon, Bartholomew, . . .	Poor of Banlin, Kiltinstown, and Liscannoy, . . .	549	18	7	14	11	0	
McCall, Samuel, . . .	Presbyterian Congregation, Cork, . . .	415	3	10	6	4	6	
Ditto, . . .	Poor of Glenties, . . .	383	0	1	5	18	0	
McKernan, John, . . .	Protestant Poor, St. Michael's, Dublin, . . .	51	7	6	0	15	5	
Ditto, . . .	Roman Catholic Poor, do. do., . . .	102	15	1	1	10	10	
Meira Parish Fund, . . .	Poor of Meira, . . .	479	1	7	7	3	8	
Morris, Thomas, . . .	" Lisburn, . . .	97	4	10	1	9	2	
Moxley, William, . . .	Poor Tradesmen, Bandon, . . .	455	0	11	6	16	8	

APPENDIX.

Schedule—continued.

SCHEDULE No. 7.
Schedule showing for what Trusts the Government Stock, under the Guardianship of the Commissioners are held.

Donor or Testator.	Charity.	Government New 2 per Cent. Stock.			Half-penny Lansdown.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maxley, William,	Bible Society, Brandon,	113	18	2	1	14	2
Ditto,	Missionary, do.	113	18	2	1	14	2
Ditto,	Benevolent Society, do.	113	18	2	1	14	2
Neeldham, Thomas,	Poor of St. Luke's, Dublin,	485	0	10	7	5	7
Nowman, Henry,	Poor of Kilshannig,	53	8	0	0	10	1
O'Donnell, Mrs.	" Burial Society,	450	0	0	6	6	9
O'Neill, Hugh,	Apprenticing Fund, Dublin,	3,041	17	7	45	12	3
O'Neill, Mark Kerr,	Poor of Agherton,	287	9	5	4	0	1
Palmer, Roger,	Marriage Portion, Rush, county Dublin,	3,121	7	7	46	15	5
Ditto,	Mayo School,	336	4	3	4	17	7
Paul, Mrs. Urith,	Stokestown (county Wexford) School,	6,114	5	9	91	14	5
Perce, Parsons,	School at Ilerton, county Galway,	232	1	2	3	9	7
Power, Mary,	Old Ladies' Asylum, Waterford,	1,175	17	6	17	12	11
Ditto,	Convent Children, "	1,019	7	3	15	5	1
Ditto,	Poor Boys, "	307	17	0	7	12	5
Power, William,	Carteen Asylum, county Waterford,	7,416	15	8	111	4	10
Parcell, William,	Kilkeny Poor, "	631	9	10	9	9	5
Rush, Judith,	Poor of Mullingar,	756	0	9	11	7	0
Ryan, Kennedy,	Charleville Roman Catholic Free School,	246	14	5	3	14	6
Smith, Henry,	Poor of Colpa, "	193	16	0	2	18	2
Spence, Andrew,	Urney, "	717	19	0	10	15	4
St. Mark's Parish,	St. Mark's Hospital, Dublin,	845	17	3	19	13	10
St. Paul's Parish,	Coal Fund, do.	53	4	0	0	16	7
Stephenson, Dr. R.	Incorporated Charitable Society, Belfast,	946	14	11	14	4	9
Switzer, James,	Poor Hospital, Kilkenny,	3,876	18	0	38	3	4
Ditto,	Benevolent Society, "						
Ditto,	Charitable, "						
Ditto,	County Infirmary, "						
Ditto,	Board for Poor, "	2,237	18	5	33	11	8
Tow, Rev. William,	Ballymac School,	184	10	10	2	15	4
Ditto,	Poor of Ballymac,	46	2	9	0	13	10
Ditto,	Raddanstown School,	615	14	5	9	4	8
Ditto,	Poor of Raddanstown,	40	2	9	0	13	10
Ditto,	St. Werburgh's School, Dublin,	46	2	9	0	13	10
Ditto,	Kilkenil Hospital and Dispensary,	61	11	9	0	18	6
Thomas, Robert,	Poor of Tadm,	313	13	8	1	14	1
Tisdall, Allen,	Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers, Dublin,	25	16	4	1	7	10
Ditto,	St. Andrew's Parish, do.	46	8	2	0	13	11
Ditto,	St. Catherine's " do.	46	8	2	0	13	11
Ditto,	St. Luke's " do.	46	8	2	0	13	11
Ditto,	St. Michael's " do.	46	8	2	0	13	11
Trail, Robert,	Poor of Licham,	97	4	11	1	9	2
Tisdall, Barbara,	Roman Catholic Magdalen Asylum, Protestant Blind Asylum, Protestant Orphan Asylum, Lying-in Hospital, Protestant Penitentiary, Poor Debtors in Gaols, Blanket and Fuel Fund, Limerick,	2,185	6	9	33	15	0
Ditto,	Protestant Widows, St. John's, Limerick,	70	11	8	1	1	2
Valentine, Rev. Thomas,	Kilbala Clony Widows, and School at Frankford,	2,435	0	10	27	8	6
Verschoyle, Richard,	St. Catherine's Parish, Dublin,	525	2	4	7	17	10
Ditto,	St. Luke's " do.	525	2	4	7	17	10
Waldron, Jeffrey,	Roman Catholic Schools, Denmark-street,	451	10	9	6	18	6
Ditto,	Idoloy-street, "	451	10	9	6	18	6
Ditto,	Orphan School at Wicklow,	611	10	9	9	3	0
Ditto,	Indigent Roomkeepers, St. Mary's Parish, Dublin,	550	0	7	7	13	0
Ditto,	Female Penitents, Donnybrook, near Dublin,	461	10	9	6	18	6
Ditto,	Widows' House, Clarendon-street, Dublin,	276	18	6	4	3	2
Walker, Hamilton,	Poor of Imaleek and Killybegs,	117	1	4	1	15	1
Ward, Judge,	Kilbough Schools and Poor,	797	18	2	11	10	5
Ward, Hon. Sophia,	Mendicity Association,	1,723	13	9	25	17	1
Waring, Samuel,	Poor Housekeepers of Meina Parish,	104	5	8	1	11	3
Waterhouse, William,	Fever Hospital, Waterford,	202	6	11	3	0	9
Ditto,	Dispensary, "	50	13	2	0	16	4
Ward, Laurence,	Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers, Dublin,	545	9	10	8	5	7
	Total,	124,160	9	3	1,803	10	10

MORTGAGE AND DEBENTURES.

Appendix.

Schedule No. 7.

	Amount.	Donor.	Object of Trust.
	£ s. d.		
Ballast Office Debenture,	92 6 2	M. Boyle, .	Coombe Lying-in Hospital.
*Two Kinnegad "	92 6 2	Rev. Dr. Smith, .	Poor of Annahilt and Malin.
*One "	46 3 1	—	St. Mark's Hospital.
*Dunleer Turnpike, "	46 3 1	M. Boyle, .	Coombe Lying-in Hospital.
Ballingarry Lona Fund, .	540 0 0	John Crane, .	Poor of Ballingarry.
	816 18 6		

*The Debentures thus marked were given up and exchanged for a Mortgage upon the county of Dublin Rates created by J. Fendergast, Esq., Commissioner appointed under Act of Parliament, the 15 & 16 of Vic., cap. 66.

Schedule of Sums placed under the Guardianship of the Commissioners since the passing of 30 & 31 Vict. chap. 54.

Schedule No. 8.

Showing the Sums placed under the Guardianship of the Commissioners since the passing of 30 & 31 Vict. c. 54.

Donor or Trustee.	Charity.	Government New 3 per Cent. Stock.
		£ s. d.
Fletcher, A. J., . . .	Poor of Derrygally, ...	337 1 7
Darke, Joseph, . . .	Roman Catholic Blind Asylum, ...	250 0 0
Ditto, ...	Roman Catholic Deaf and Dumb Asylum, ...	250 0 0
Ditto, ...	Mater Misericordie Hospital, ...	500 0 0
Ditto, ...	St. Vincent's Hospital, ...	500 0 0
McCubb, Wm., . . .	Poor of Killeen, ...	350 0 0
Barrett, Jacob, . . .	Poor of Armagh, ...	330 3 3
Atkinson, Edward, . . .	Poor of Kilmare (amount secured by a Mortgage), each, ...	640 0 0
Roberts, Thomas, . . .	Protestant Church School of Mountmellick. Fifty Shares in Mountmellick Gas Company of £5 each, ...	250 0 0

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SCHOLAR No. 10.

A FUGATE

RETURN of Charity Funds standing to the credit of Causes or Matters in the Court of Chancery, and in which the title of the Charity has been established by Decree or Order.

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The Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests against Francis LEE, John Stewart, and others.

Government New 3 per Cent. Stock, ...	£4,309	3	1
Turkish Debentures,*	2,500	0	0

The Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests against the Rev. Edward St. Lawrence and others.

Government New 3 per Cent. Stock,†	£3,831	10	8
Cash, ...	37	8	1

I certify that the foregoing sums remain in Bank to the credit of the matters above recited.

DAVID P. STANLEY, Assistant-General.

Assistant-General's Office, Four Courts,
5th February, 1868.

* By letter received from Edward Clements, Esq., Turkish Commissioner, dated 26th January, 1868, these debentures are stated to be totally valueless.

† These funds are held in Elizabeth South's Charity, and are to accumulate until they amount to £4,000; but they are subject to reduction in case the interest upon a fund in stock in the same charity should not be sufficient to pay two permanent Annuities with which such fund is charged.

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